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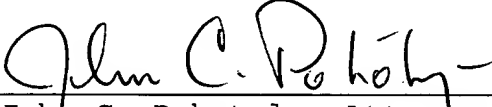
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In response to the Election/Restrictions mailed on November 1, 2002. (Paper No. 6), which set a period for response to expire on December 1, 2002, the applicants elect Group I (claims 1-14 and 20-30), drawn to a method for establishing and effecting a secure synchronize browsing session incorporating encryption.

Please cancel claims 15-19, 31 and 32.

Respectfully submitted,

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Before examining the above-referenced
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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add the following new claims:

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- a'
- 1 -- 33. (NEW) The method of claim 11 wherein a live agent
 - 2 is at the guide terminal and a customer is at the follower
 - 3 terminal, the method further comprising:
 - 4 f) establishing, in response to an input at the
 - 5 second terminal, a call between the customer at the